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| TO ANGLETTAL LETTER | TO THE UNITED STATES | Attorney Docket No. | | | | | | | |
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| TRANSMITTAL LETTER | 0508-1169 | | | | | | | | |
| DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 | | U.S. Application of 589506 | | | | | | | |
| INTERNATIONAL APPLN. NO. PCT/FR2005/000203 | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE February 1, 2005 | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED February 16, 2004 | | | | | | | |
| TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR PREPARING A DAIRY PRODUCT | | | | | | | | | |
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| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Stephane DOAT, Elena VELA ROCA, Agusti MONTSERRAT CARRERAS, Ricardo WEILL, | | | | | | | | | |
| Claude Emmanuelle GASPARD and Bernard ROBINE | | | | | | | | | |
| Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. A This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSE | QUENT submission of items concerning | g a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. | | | | | | | |
| 3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). | | | | | | | | | |
| The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. The US has been elected (Article 31). | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. 🛛 A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) | | | | | | | | | |
| a. 🛛 is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). | | | | | | | | | |
| b. has been communicated | by the International Bureau. See attach | ed PCT/IB/308. | | | | | | | |
| | olication was filed in the United States F | | | | | | | | |
| 6. 🛛 An English language translati | on of the International Application as file | ed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) | | | | | | | |
| a. 🛛 is attached hereto. | | | | | | | | | |
| b. has been previously subr | nitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Amendments to the claims of | the International Application under PC1 | Γ Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)) | | | | | | | |
| | ired only if not communicated by the In | ternational Bureau). | | | | | | | |
| b. have been communicated | by the International Bureau. | and and has NOT expired | | | | | | | |
| | vever, the time limit for making such am | nendments has NOT expired. | | | | | | | |
| d. have not been made and | Will not be made. | der PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)) | | | | | | | |
| 8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)). | | | | | | | | | |
| 9. An oath or declaration of the | | | | | | | | | |
| 10. A Declaration of Inventorship for purposes of U.S.A. designation pursuant to rule 4.17(iv). | | | | | | | | | |
| 11. An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). | | | | | | | | | |
| Items 12 to 23 below concern document(s) or information included: | | | | | | | | | |
| 12. ☑ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) w/PTO-1449 - ☑ Copy of IDS citations ☑ PCT/ISA/210 International Search Report included | | | | | | | | | |
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| 13. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)). 14. ☒ A preliminary amendment. | | | | | | | | | |
| 15. An Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. 1.76. | | | | | | | | | |
| 16. ⊠ Itemized Return Receipt Postcard | | | | | | | | | |
| 17. Abstract | | | | | | | | | |
| 18. A substitute specification. | | | | | | | | | |
| | 19. Power of Attorney and Statement under 37 CFR §3.73(b) | | | | | | | | |
| a. Newly executed Power of Attorney | | | | | | | | | |
| b. A change of Power of Attorney and/or change of address letter. | | | | | | | | | |
| 20. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 | | | | | | | | | |
| | and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825. | | | | | | | | |
| 21. A second copy of the publish | A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | | | | |
| | A second copy of the English language translation of the international application (35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)). | | | | | | | | |
| 23. Other items or information: | | | | | | | | | |
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| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. | | | | CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY | | | |
| ☑ The following fees are submitted: | | | | | | · · · · · | |
| PCT FEES - NATIONAL STAGE | | | | | | | |
| POT FEES - NATIONAL STAGE | | | | | | | |
| | Fee Desc | ription | | | | | |
| Basic National Stage Fee | | | | | \$300.00 | | |
| Non ISA/US Search Provided National Stage Search Fee | | | | \$400.00 | | | |
| US was the IPEA And all claims satisfied the provisions of PCT Article 33 (1)-(4) National Stage Examination Fee | | | | \$200.00 | | | |
| Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than ☐ 20- ☐ 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (Fee Code 1617/2617) | | | | | \$130.00 | - | |
| National Stage Application | National Stage Application Fee From | | | | | | |
| size fee each additional 50 sheets in excess of 100 | - 100 | Additional Sheet | ıs X | Below \$125.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Fee Code 1681/2681 | | 50 | <u> </u> | <u> </u> | | | |
| CLAIMS | | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE | | | |
| Independent Claims Fee Code | s 1614 / 2614 | 1 - 3 = | 0 | x \$100.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Total Claims Fee Code | s 1615 / 2615 | 20 - 20 = | 0 | x \$25.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) Fee Code 1616 / 2616 + \$360.00 | | | | \$0.00 | | | |
| Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than \(\text{\bar} \) 20 \(\text{\bar} \) 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). Fee Code 1618 | | | | | \$0.00 | | |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). (Fee code 8021) \$40.00 per property + | | | | | \$0.00 | | |
| TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = | | | | \$1,030.00 | | | |
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| | | | | | Charged: | \$ | |
| A check in the amount of \$1,030.00 to cover the above fees is attached. | | | | | | | |
| The Director is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 in the name of Young & Thompson. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. | | | | | | | |
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| The Director is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17. | | | | | | | |
| SEND ALL CORRESPONDE | NCE TO: | | | Benit | Caste | | |
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